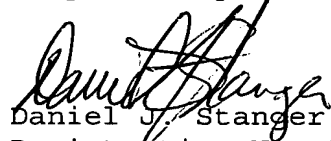


REMARKS

Claims 1 and 11-19 have been canceled without prejudice or disclaimer, to expedite consideration and allowance of claims 2-10. The Applicants reserve all right to the subject matter of the canceled claims.

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